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Dr. Pitt Believes Anti-Series of Murders of Saloon Convention Will Ask Enabling Act.

LEAGUE UNLIKELY TO FORCE ISSUE

of Temperance Advocates Oppose Immediate Precipitation of Prohibition Question-Would Call State Election by Petition.

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Dr. Cannon's Position.

"Do you happen to know," asked the reporter, "what the official leaders of the league have in mind as the heat course for the convention to pursue?"

"I have recently had a long and setisfactory conference," said Dr. Pitt, "with Rev. James Cannon, Jr., Super-intendent of the Anti-Saloon League. and have permission to print his own views in the Herald. Here is what he has to say as an expression of his own personal views, and I give it to you in his own words:

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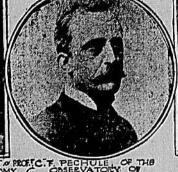
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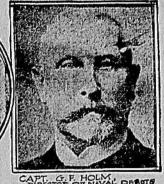
KOREAN PREMIER ONE OF VICTIMS

Baptist Editor Thinks Majority He Is Stabbed by Christian Native Who Had Lived in America-Russian Police Chief Killed by Bomb-Indian Official Is

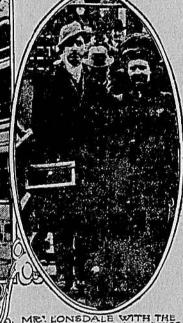


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BLUEFIELDS NOW A VAST HOSPITAL

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General Estrada's Victory Complete

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